

BROUGHT BACK TO FLORENCE.

Theatre Proprietor Arrested in West Virginia Town.

Florence, Sept. 10.—Mr. W. L. Gordon, the proprietor of the Majestic Theatre, who left the city a few days ago, was brought back from West Virginia, whither he had gone, by the deputy sheriff of the county in which he was arrested. Mr. Gordon, it is charged, had violated the law in giving a number of checks on the banks with no funds to meet them, and the sheriff here had several warrants for his arrest. Mr. Gordon made no objection to returning, and is trying to meet the obligations that he left behind him here.

For some time before he left there had been complaint on the part of the banks that Mr. Gordon was giving checks rather indiscriminately, but his creditors were disposed to wait on him and to help him as much as possible.

Mr. Gordon hopes to get all matters settled to the satisfaction of his creditors.

Made Wife Sleep with Dog.

Braddock, Pa., Sept. 16.—Mrs. Charles Ochal nearly killed her husband because, she says, he told her she was in the same class with dogs and forced her to sleep under the bed with the family's pet dog.

Mrs. Ochal tired of sleeping under the bed and, kicking at the mattress as she lay on the floor, she aroused her husband, and voiced her indignation. A fight followed in which Mrs. Ochal struck her husband on the head with a heavy water pitcher, fracturing his skull and cutting his scalp into ribbons.

The police, attracted to the house by the fight, found Ochal, covered with blood, attacking his wife with the handle of the broken water pitcher. They quelled the disturbance and sent Ochal to the hospital. Mrs. Ochal was placed under arrest. She pleaded self-defense.

NEGRO KILLED IN LANCASTER.

Camp Meeting in Mount Carmel Section Scene of Difficulty.

Lancaster, Sept. 9.—At a negro camp meeting last night at Mount Carmel, this county, Ed Juren was shot and killed by Paul Crawford.

The row started over a negro whose name is unknown, shooting in front of Bud Watson's horse when Crawford fired over the back of the buggy, the bullet taking effect in Juren's head. Juren lived about an hour. Crawford and Watts were arrested this morning by Sheriff Hunter and lodged in jail. The coroner's jury rendered a verdict that Juren came to his death by a gunshot wound at the hands of Paul Crawford.

Student Killed by Negro.

Alexandria, La., Sept. 11.—A victim of an attack by an unknown negro on the streets here last night, William W. Ellis, a senior student of Louisiana college, died in a sanitarium here this morning. A fellow member of the senior class, Byron Long, was wounded by the same negro but his injuries are not serious. Posses are searching for the negro to-day.

Ellis and Long were walking to church when a passing negro jostled the former. The negro was warned not to do so again, whereupon he pulled a picket from a fence and struck Ellis over the left eye, crushing the skull. Long attempted to interfere and was felled by the negro, who escaped.

Grandmother at 28.

Jonesville, Sept. 12.—In The News and Courier of yesterday there was an article of news from Atlanta, Ga., of September 10 with the caption "A Grandmother at Thirty," a Mrs. E. W. Bender, of that city, and claiming that she is the youngest grandmother on record.

Jonesville can beat that record two years. There was a woman, Mrs. Edith Fowler, who lived here in Jonesville, but died a few years ago, who became a mother at 14 years of age. The child was a girl and she grew up and at 14 years of age she became a mother to a girl child. So that Mrs. Fowler was a grandmother at 28 years of age.

LANDS FOR FOREST PRESERVE.

Thirty-five Thousand Acres in North Georgia Purchased by Government.

Atlanta, Ga., Sept. 14.—Thirty-five thousand acres of Georgia mountain lands rich in forests and minerals, have been purchased by the United States to be included in the Appalachian forest reserve, recently provided for by congress. District Attorney Tate now is examining title to the land and the purchase will be concluded when his report is made. The tract is located in Fannin, Union, and Lumpkin counties and the price paid by the government is said to be a little more than \$200,000.

BOY ATTEMPTS BANK HOLD-UP.

But Seventeen-Year-Old Lad Loses His Nerve at Sight of Pistol.

Laurel, Md., Sept. 8.—A youth giving the name of John R. Morgan, of Mojav, Cal., and his age at 17 years, attempted to hold up the Citizens' National Bank here to-day at a pistol point. He lost his nerve, however, when he was confronted with a revolver in the hands of the cashier. The boy said he had beat his way to Washington two days ago. Wandering off to Laurel he saw the bank building here.

"I decided to rob the bank or kill every man in it," said the boy. Wearing a "false face," a long automobile coat, and a blue cap, he entered the bank shortly after the opening hour. He demanded that A. L. Bevan, paying teller, should fill the bag, threatening to shoot unless his command was obeyed. Bevan at first tried to argue with the young "bad" man. Then he seized a revolver and fired a shot. The would-be robber dropped mask and bag and fled through the open door. A posse was quickly organized, but the boy eluded his pursuers for several hours before he was captured.

A Grandmother at Thirty.

Atlanta, Ga., Sept. 10.—A grandmother of tow children at the age of mother of two children at the age of Mrs. E. W. Bender, of this city. It is claimed that Mrs. Bender is the youngest grandmother on record and her case is one of the most remarkable outside of tropical countries.

Mrs. Bender, who is 31 years old, was born in 1880 in South Carolina. She was married to E. W. Moore, at Columbia, S. C., in 1892. She was only 13 years and three months old when her first child was born. This child, a daughter, was married in 1899 to Edward Sinclair, and in January, 1910, gave birth to twins, the mother being barely 16 and the grandmother not yet 30.

In January of this year Mrs. Bender's daughter gave birth to another child, the third of the grandchildren.

Mr. Moore died when Mrs. Sinclair was an infant. Later his widow married E. W. Bender and that union has been blessed by several children. Physicians claim it is rare in this part of the world that a woman becomes a grandmother even in the early thirties.

"I am a Disgrace to Myself."

New York, Sept. 12.—"I am a disgrace to myself, to my country and my friends," said William B. Ford to-day when arraigned before a magistrate for sentence on his plea of guilty of stealing two five-cent subway tickets. "But I am not responsible. I am the victim of some force I cannot resist. I used to be a decent man."

Ford graduated from the University of Tennessee and was counsel for the Fort Worth and Denver Railroad for 12 years. He served as a lieutenant in the Spanish-American war, was wounded in each of three engagements in the Philippines and following a sunstroke was honorably discharged. His descent dated from this time. On returning to America he worked as a laborer in San Francisco, then re-enlisted under the name of Allen LeForte. He secured a commission as a lieutenant and while stationed at Fort Schuyler stole \$2,500. He was sentenced by court-martial to five years in Leavenworth prison, but was declared insane and transferred to an asylum. A nephew then took him to Oklahoma, but he eluded his watchers and came to New York.

Ford pleaded to be allowed to return to Tennessee, but to no avail. He was fined \$500 and sentenced to one year in the penitentiary.

MOB LYNCHES NEGRO.

Band of Whites and Blacks Hangs Arthur Dean in Augusta, Ark.

Augusta, Ark., Sept. 9.—After he had slashed the throat of Mrs. Albert Vaughan, daughter of a white farmer, shot and killed one of his own race and assaulted an aged negro, Arthur Dean, a negro, was taken in hand by a mob of white men and negroes to-day and hanged from a mill shed on the principal street of Augusta.

Dean started on his rampage early yesterday. Gaining entrance to the home of Tom Ligon a negro farmer, he drove Ligon's children from the building and attacked an aged relative of the farmer. Next he made his way to the dwelling of Dennis Clark and firing from the roadway killed Clark who was seated at a window.

At the home of J. T. Bosleman, a farmer, he encountered Mrs. Vaughan, and when she resisted his attack, drew a razor across her throat. Mrs. Vaughn died several hours later.

The negro then made for the woods, but was captured this morning, near Bald Knob, and returned to Augusta. A mob was in waiting and the lynching followed.

NATHAN JOHNSON ACQUITTED.

Professor who Killed Pupil's Father Freed by Jury.

Tennile, Ga., Sept. 9.—Prof. Nathan Johnson was to-day liberated from the charge of murdering Dr. J. H. Kelly on the streets of Tennile last March. After being out for two hours and thirty minutes the jury brought in a verdict of justifiable homicide. Cheers rang through the court room when the verdict was announced.

The shooting last March followed the expulsion of Kelly's son from the Johnson School and resultant bad blood. Both families are prominent in Middle Georgia.

Girl Talks About Outrage.

Beverly, Kan., Sept. 13.—There is nothing either of the martyr or the culprit about Miss Mary Chamberlain whom masked men and boys tarred and feathered on a lonely road at Shady Bend, near here, a few nights ago.

A correspondent visited Miss Chamberlain at her father's home on the outskirts of Beverly. The girl is pretty, slight of figure, gentle, refined in manner; it seems incredible that members of the best families of Lincoln county, now in jail or under bonds, could have been guilty of the cowardly act to affright and humiliate her.

It is a common report at Shady Bend that prominent women incited the attack on Miss Chamberlain by falsely informing their husbands, brothers and sons that she had told malicious lies about them.

"If those accused of the wretched assault are guilty," said Miss Chamberlain, in a calm tone, "they are men and boys who have known me for years and who pretend to be my friends. Not a hint of prejudice came to me in Shady Bend before the attack on me."

"After the assault I had no suspicion of the motive for it until I asked the man who had tricked me into driving with him that night. Even now I cannot understand it, for I never have been guilty of any act that I need be ashamed of or that might make me an undesirable person in any community."

Edward Ricard asked Miss Chamberlain to go driving with him. He was arrested, gave bond, got out of Shady Bend, was arrested again and is in the county jail. It is said he told friends he was paid \$500 for his part in the conspiracy.

So horrified was she that Miss Chamberlain cannot clearly describe the shameful scene when her assailants partly undressed her and tarred and feathered her.

"After the masked men appeared and seized me I was so frightened that I can't recall much else," she said. "My recollection is that I screamed and called for Ed Ricard to come to my aid. I do not remember how I got back in the buggy nor much of my return to my boarding house. I did not recognize the masked men."

To prove her spirit is not broken, Miss Chamberlain asserts that she expects to return to Shady Bend and resume her position as clerk in L. V. Green's store.

BIG SALE OF TIMBER LAND.

Government will Probably Get Two Million Dollars for Tract.

Washington, Sept. 14.—Arrangements for the largest sale of timber ever undertaken by the government, involving approximately 600,000,000 feet, nine-tenths of it yellow pine, are being made by the department of agriculture and interior. The tract, the largest body of good timber left in the Southwest, is in Eastern Arizona.

The sale will bring the government \$1,500,000 to \$2,000,000. All the timber must be cut in ten years.

Other large bodies of timber, aggregating 1,500,000,000 feet may be offered later, it is said. The clearing of timber lands will open up good coal fields it is predicted.

HID \$700 IN STOVE.

She Manages to Get Wallet Out of Oven, But \$600 is in Ashes.

York Springs, Pa., Sept. 14.—Having no faith in banks, Jno. Funk, of Arendtville, has been keeping his savings in various hiding places in his home.

This summer he placed the money, \$700 in bills, in a leather wallet in the oven of an old-fashioned tin-plate stove.

Mrs. Funk kindled a fire in the stove yesterday to take away the dampness caused by the recent rainy weather.

Coming into the room fifteen minutes later, she discovered the odor of burning leather. Opening one of the oven doors, she found the pocketbook badly burned. All but \$100 of the bills had been destroyed, and the remainder will be sent to the treasury department at Washington for redemption.

He Needed It More.

A minister meeting a neighbor's boy who had just come out of a fight with a fearful black eye, put his hand on the boy's head and said:

"My boy, I pray you may never fight again, and that you may never receive another black eye."

"That's all right," said the boy. "You go home and pray over your own kid. I gave him two of 'em."

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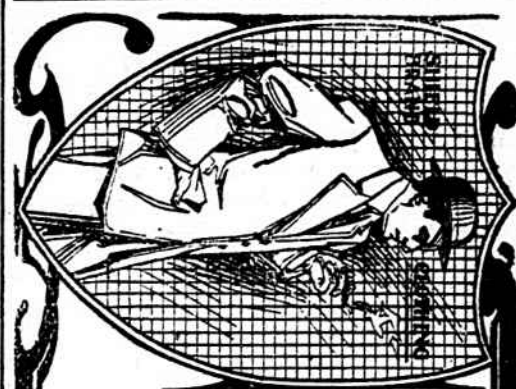
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